Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai (*Quilon cum Kunnattur*): May I know from the member whether the Director of Industries calls for a report of the Inspection work done by the Experts?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: He calls for monthly reports from the Experts and from the managements of the schools.

Mr. Kottur K. Kunjukrishna Pillai: May I know whether these reports are of a confidential nature?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: Yes, Sir.

Grant of recognition to the Chitrodayam Weaving School, Kunnattur.

30. ***Mr. Nedumangad R. Kesavan Nair**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) when recognition was granted to the Chitrodayam Weaving School, Kunnattur;

(*b*) whether any inspection of the above school was made by the Director of Industries prior to recognition being granted to it;

(*c*) whether any technical expert has been consulted before recognition was granted to the said school;

(*d*) whether any technical expert has ever inspected or visited the school, and if so, his name and the date of inspection; and

(*e*) whether the Director of Industries has recommended the award of grant to the above school, and, if so, when?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: (*a*) 15-4-1937.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) Yes; Mr. M. P. G. Nair, Textile Expert; 11-8-1933.

(*e*) Recommendations of heads of departments to Government are confidential.

Mr. Nedumangad R. Kesavan Nair: May I know whether the Director has recommended the awarding of grant to the said school to the Government?

M. C. Kumara Das: Whether I have recommended or not, I cannot say.

Mr. Nedumangad R. Kesavan Nair: May I know the date on which the Director Inspected this school?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: I have not got the exact date, but I inspected the school sometime before 15-4-1937.

Mr. Nedumangad R. Kesavan Nair: With reference to part (*c*) of the question, may I know the date?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: I think it was on the recommendation dated 11-8-1933.

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Mr. Nedumangad R. Kesavan Nair: May I know in respect of the part (*d*) of the question, whether any inspection of the above school was made after 1933 ?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: I can't say now.

Award of grants to industrial schools.

31. ***Mr. Nedumangad R. Kesavan Nair**:. Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the grants given to schools teaching painting, carpentry, smithery and textiles are awarded on the recommendations of the respective experts ;

(*b*) whether any such grants have been made solely on the recommendation of the Director of Industries, and, if so, the schools to which such grants are given ;

(*c*) whether any grants have been made by the Director of Industries contrary to the recommendations of the experts concerned, and, if so, the names of the schools to which such grants are given with the reasons therefor ; and

(*d*) whether the Director of Industries has chosen to make a combined inspection with the said experts whenever there was a difference of opinion between the Director and the Expert regarding the conduct of the school ?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: The recommendations made by officers of Government are confidential and cannot be disclosed.

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